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Full Closure of 63rd Street Bridge Over the Dan Ryan Expressway

CHICAGO - The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that work on the 63rd Street Bridge over the Dan Ryan Expressway in Chicago has been re-scheduled to now begin Monday, January 26, 2015.

Work will require full closure of the bridge between early January 2015 and October 2015 with daily lane closures on Wentworth Ave. and Yale St. Expressway motorists can expect nightly lane closures.

The following detour routes will be posted:

- EB 63rd St, to SB Halsted St., to EB Marquette Rd., to NB State St, to EB 63rd St.
- WB 63rd St, to NB Wentworth Av, to WB 59th St, to SB Yale St, to WB 63rd St.

Note that detour routes may change based on other construction projects in the area.

Local businesses will remain open and accessible during construction.

The anticipated completion date for this project is October 31, 2015.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1 at <http://goo.gl/upgvZu>. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com.

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